



THE ASSAM GAZETTE

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EXTRAORDINARY

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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM

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ENVIRONMENT AND FOREST DEPARTMENT

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION

The 2nd September, 2020

No.FRW.4/2020/47.- In exercise of the power conferred by Section 35 of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 as amended upto date, the Governor of Assam is pleased to declare its intention to constitute the area described in the Schedule annexed hereto as 9th addition to the Kaziranga National Park and Tiger Reserve.

The Governor of Assam, further hereby appoints the Deputy Commissioner of Nagaon to enquire into and determine the existence, the nature and extent of any rights/claims alleged to exist in favor of any person or persons, in or over any land within the limit described in the Schedule below. The enquiry into the above will be as per procedure laid in the section 19 to 26-A (both inclusive except clause (c) of sub-section (2) of section 24) of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 read with section 35 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE A

LOCATION

District (Civil)	Sonitpur
Subdivision (Civil)	Tezpur
Name of the Forest Division	Biswanath Wildlife Division, Biswanth
Name of the Range	Western range, Nagshankar
Area	2570 ha
Name of the area	9 th Addition to Kaziranga National Park

SCHEDULE B

1. Wildlife: The extensive riverine landscape proposed as the 9th addition to Kaziranga National Park is used by resident and migratory mega herbivore such as Asiatic Wild Buffalo, Rhinos, Elephants & Tigers among others. Deer, hare, turtles, snakes, wild pig and many species of local and migratory birds are also present in the region. Four rhinos are there recorded from 17th March 2019.

2. Biodiversity and Conservation Significance: The proposed 9th addition to Kaziranga National Park comprising of the Jia Bhareli River and its island/chaporis act as important corridor of Wildlife movement between Kaziranga National Park & Tiger Reserve and Nameri National Park & Tiger Reserve, Wildlife such as Elephant and Tiger use the area as migratory corridor for movement within the Kaziranga National Park & Tiger Reserve and Nameri National Park & Tiger Reserve.

3. Map: A rough map of 9th addition to Kaziranga National Park i.e Not to scale is attached herewith as ANNEXURE-I.

4. Area: The Area of the proposed 9th addition to Kaziranga National Park is 25.7 square kilometers (Approx.)

5. BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

NORTH: Surveyed line from North Eastern corner of the proposed area starting with a pillar surveyed by land record official. (GPS point No 9, N26 41 39.61 E 92 53 31.23.) Upto north west corner at the right bank of river Bhareli in a straight line from point no 11 and 12.

EAST: Inter Circle Boundary of Naduar and Tezpur Revenue circles starting from the North high bank of Brahmaputra i.e. the Northern Boundary of 6th Addition area of KNP to surveyed pillar (by Land record official) GPS point No 9, N26 41 39.61 E 92 53 31.23.

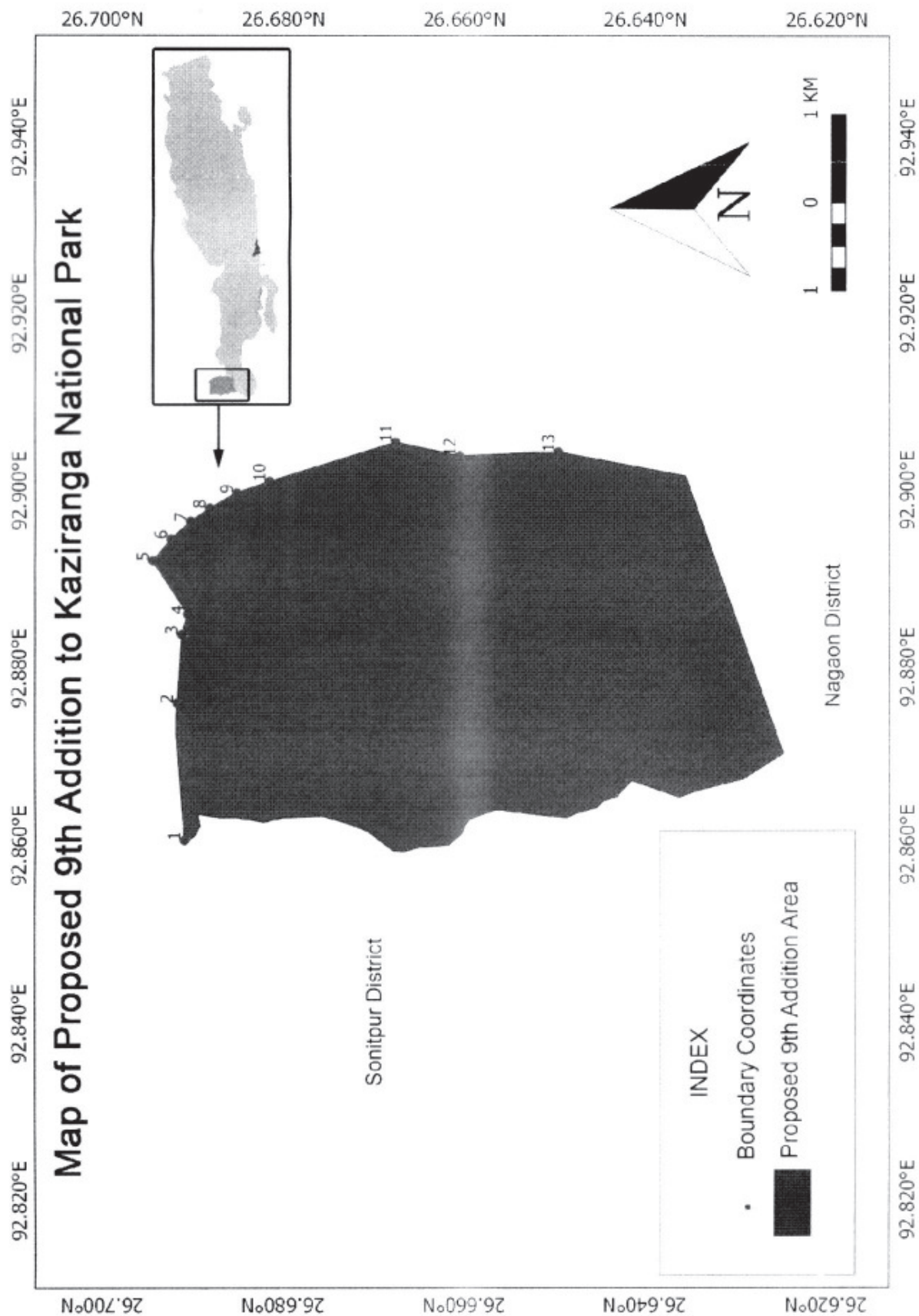
SOUTH: River Brahmaputra i.e. the 6th Addition area.

WEST: Right bank of Bhareli river up to river Brahmaputra, the northern Boundary of 6th addition to KNP.

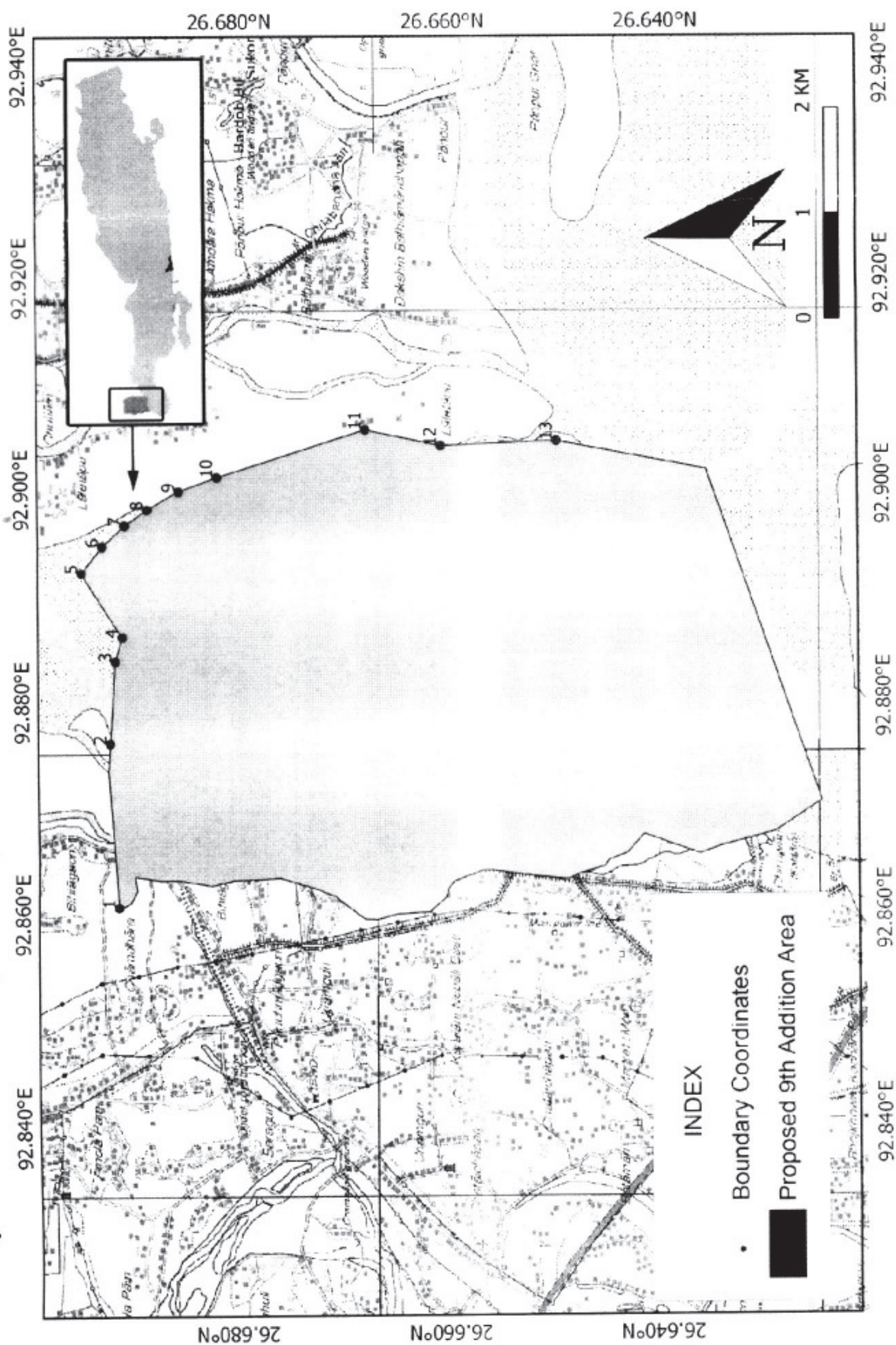
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ANNEXURE I



Toposheet Overlay of Proposed 9th Addition to Kaziranga National Park



ANNEXURE II
GPS Points of Ground Control Points (GCP) of Boundary Coordinates of the
Proposed 9th Addition to Kaziranga National Park

GCP	Latitude	Longitude
1	26.69091554	92.86053332
2	26.69165900	92.87599800
3	26.69115300	92.88374400
4	26.69047200	92.88601100
5	26.69433611	92.89200833
6	26.69235000	92.89447778
7	26.69021667	92.89645833
8	26.68811111	92.89793889
9	26.68513333	92.89963611
10	26.68155278	92.90096944
11	26.66764444	92.90540556
12	26.66051389	92.90386111
13	26.64956100	92.90428333